

**Congress of the United States**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

March 24, 2023

Chair Kay Granger  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
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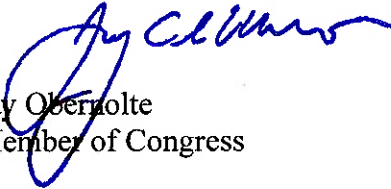
Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Upper Rancho Water Replacement Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of California City located at 21000 Hacienda Blvd, California City, 93505. The funding would be used for large-scale replacement of the city's water infrastructure. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the city will finally be able to replace the damaged water valves, central lines, and hydrants, ensuring a more stable water distribution system with sufficient water pressure that will minimize public health risks to our community.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Jay Obernolte  
Member of Congress